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Case No. 3:20-cv-04688-RS

**PLAINTIFFS' REQUESTS FOR  
AMISSSIONS TO DEFENDANT GOOGLE  
LLC, SET FOUR**

#### **Plaintiffs.**

V.

GOOGLE LLC,

## Defendant

1 Propounding Party: Plaintiffs Anibal Rodriguez, Sal Cataldo, Julian Santiago, and Susan  
 2 Lynn Harvey (“Plaintiffs”)

3 Responding Party: Defendant Google LLC

4 Set No.: Four

5 Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 26 and 36, Plaintiffs hereby submit the  
 6 following requests for admissions to Defendant Google LLC (“Google”). Each request is to be  
 7 read in accordance with the Definitions and Instructions that follow. Responses are due within  
 8 thirty (30) days of service.

9 **DEFINITIONS**

10 1. The term “all” includes the word “any,” and vice versa.

11 2. The term “Class Period” means the class period in this case, as defined in the Third  
 12 Amended Complaint.

13 3. The term “Google” means Google LLC and any of its directors, officers,  
 14 consultants, agents, representatives, predecessors in interest, subsidiaries, assignees, licensees,  
 15 employees, attorneys, and any other persons acting on Google LLC’S behalf, including  
 16 contractors.

17 4. The term “Google Service” includes any service that Google provides to app  
 18 developers, including analytics and advertising services, where GOOGLE code is embedded  
 19 within the app (e.g., Firebase, AdMob).

20 5. The term “include” or “including” means “include, but not limited to” or  
 21 “including, but not limited to.”

22 6. The term “Non-Google App” means mobile applications that are not operated and  
 23 owned by Google or a Google affiliate (e.g., Google Maps, YouTube).

24 7. The term “Google App” means mobile applications that are operated and owned  
 25 by Google or a Google affiliate (e.g., Google Maps, YouTube).

26 8. “User” means a human being residing in the United States with at least one Google  
 27 account.

1       9.     “WAA” refers to Google’s Web & App Activity feature, as described in the Third  
2 Amended Complaint. WAA includes the supplemental Web & App Activity (i.e., sWAA)  
3 subsetting.

4        9.     “WAA-Off Data” means data generated by a user’s use of Google Apps or Non-  
5     Google Apps that employ or embed any Google service (e.g., Firebase, AdMob) while Web &  
6     App Activity (WAA) or Supplemental Web & App Activity (sWAA) was disabled (which is at  
7     times referred to as off or paused). WAA-Off Data includes any information generated by or  
8     during a user’s visit to or interaction with an app, including but not limited to app installation and  
9     deletion.

## **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

11 ||| 10. For each of the following requests, respond either "Admit" or "Deny."

12 || 11. If objection is made, the reasons therefore shall be stated.

13           12. The answer shall specifically deny the matter or set forth in detail the reasons why  
14 the answering party cannot truthfully admit or deny the matter.

15        13. A denial shall fairly meet the substance of the requested admission and when good  
16 faith requires that a party qualify an answer or deny only part of the matter of which an admission  
17 is requested, the party shall specify so much if it as is true and qualify or deny the remainder.

18       14. An answering party may not give lack of information or knowledge as a reason for  
19 failure to admit or deny unless the party states that the party has made reasonable inquiry and the  
20 information known or readily obtainable by the party is insufficient to enable the party to admit  
21 or deny.

22        15. A party who considers that a matter of which an admission has been requested  
23 presents a genuine issue for trial may not on that ground alone object to the request; the responding  
24 party must set forth the reasons why the party cannot admit or deny.

25        16. For purposes of reading, interpreting, or construing the scope of the Definitions,  
26 Instructions, and Requests, all of the terms shall be given their most expansive and inclusive  
27 interpretation. This includes the following:

28 (a) The singular form of a word shall be interpreted as plural and vice versa.

- (b) "And," "or," as well as "and/or" shall be construed either disjunctively or conjunctively as necessary to bring within the scope of the Request any response that might otherwise be construed to be outside the scope of the Request.
  - (c) "All," "each" and "any" shall be construed as "all, each, and any."
  - (d) The masculine form of a word shall be interpreted as and shall include the feminine and vice versa.
  - (e) The use of a verb in any particular tense shall be construed as the use of the verb in all other tenses as necessary to bring within the scope of the Request any response that might otherwise be construed to be outside the scope of the Request.

17. Your obligations under these requests for admissions are intended to be continuing; therefore, if you obtain information or evidence that modifies any answer, you are required to submit an amended response.

## **REQUESTS FOR ADMISSIONS**

## **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 23:**

Since the start of the Class Period, there has never been a way for a User to prevent Google from receiving WAA-Off Data.

## **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 24:**

Since the start of the Class Period, there has never been a way for a User to prevent Google from saving WAA-Off Data.

## **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 25:**

At least one Google log contains one or more bits and/or fields that reliably shows whether specific event-level traffic was generated while WAA was “off.”

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 26:**

Google has derived revenues from its storage and use of WAA-Off Data.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 27:**

Since the start of the Class Period, Google could have redesigned its products that save WAA-Off Data, including but not limited to the Firebase SDK and the Google Mobile Ads SDK, so that no WAA-Off Data would be saved by Google.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 28:**

Google can delete all WAA-Off Data stored by Google.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 29:**

Google has used WAA-Off Data to track, model, or measure cross-app or -site conversions. For purposes of this Request, “cross-app or -site conversions” includes a scenario in which a User interacts with an advertisement within one app, or while on one website, and then “converts” with respect to that prior advertisement within a different app or website (including but not limited to by making a purchase, installing an app, opening an app, or filling out a form).

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 30:**

Since the start of the Class Period, Google has not provided Users with any way to view WAA-Off Data stored by Google.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 31:**

Since the start of the Class Period, Google has not provided Users with any way to delete WAA-Off Data stored by Google.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 32:**

Google cannot identify any privacy policy, terms of service, or other disclosure by a Non-Google App that explicitly informed or informs Users that Google will save WAA-Off Data. For purposes of this Request, “explicitly” requires at a minimum that the disclosure either refer by name to Web & App Activity (WAA) or supplemental Web & App Activity (sWAA) or inform Users that Google will save data relating to their app activity without regard to their Google settings.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 33:**

Non-Google Apps that use any of GA for Firebase, AdMob, and Cloud Messaging would

1 continue to function and be usable even if Google did not store WAA-off Data collected by way of  
 2 GA for Firebase, AdMob, and Cloud Messaging.

3 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 34:**

4 Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users' interactions with Non-Google Apps  
 5 by way of webviews.

6 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 35:**

7 Google cannot identify any non-Google source or disclosure that explicitly informs Users  
 8 that Google saves WAA-Off Data. For purposes of this Request, "explicitly" requires at a minimum  
 9 that the source refer by name to Web & App Activity (WAA) or supplemental Web & App Activity  
 10 (sWAA). For purposes of this Request, "non-Google sources" refers to news articles, academic  
 11 publications, or any other publications not authored by Google.

12 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 36:**

13 Since the start of the Class Period, Google has maintained at least one dashboard, log, or  
 14 table that reliably tracks WAA and sWAA "on-and-off events for all Google Account Ids on an  
 15 individual level." (citing Google's Resp. to Interrogatory No. 13). For purposes of this Request,  
 16 "reliably" means that the dashboard, log, or table is accurate.

17 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 37:**

18 Google has used WAA-Off Data to track, model, or measure conversions that occur across  
 19 Google and non-Google properties. This Request refers to a scenario in which a User interacts with  
 20 an advertisement within a Google app, or while on a Google website, and then "converts" with  
 21 respect to that prior advertisement within a non-Google app or non-Google website (including but  
 22 not limited to by making a purchase, installing an app, opening an app, or filling out a form). This  
 23 Request also includes the inverse scenario, where a User interacts with an advertisement within a  
 24 non-Google app, or while on a non-Google website, and then "converts" with respect to that prior  
 25 advertisement within a Google app or while on a Google website (including but not limited to by  
 26 making a purchase, installing an app, opening an app, or filling out a form). Google has used WAA-  
 27 Off Data to track, model, or measure conversions within those scenarios.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 38:**

Since the start of the Class Period, apart from discontinuing use of the Google Analytics for Firebase service, there has been no way for an app developer whose Non-Google App uses Google Analytics for Firebase to prevent Google from receiving and saving WAA-Off Data.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 39:**

Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users' interactions with the Google Search app.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 40:**

Using data that is stored within Google logs and data sources, and setting aside any and all Google policies and technical impediments, it is possible to join WAA-off Data with data tied to a user's Google account.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 41:**

Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users' interactions with the YouTube app.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 42:**

Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users' interactions with the Gmail app.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 43:**

Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users' interactions with the Google Maps app.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 44:**

Since the start of the Class Period, every version of the Google Privacy Policy has included the following provision: "We will not reduce your rights under this Privacy Policy without your explicit consent."

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 45:**

Google can change its processes so that Google no longer saves WAA-Off Data.

**REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 46:**

From March 31, 2020 through the present, Google's Terms of Service has contained the following provision: "California law will govern all disputes arising out of or relating to these

1 terms, service-specific additional terms, or any related services, regardless of conflict of laws  
2 rules.”

3 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 47:**

4 From April 14, 2014 through March 30, 2020, Google’s Terms of Service included the  
5 following provision: “The laws of California, U.S.A., excluding California’s conflict of laws rules,  
6 will apply to any disputes arising out of or relating to these terms or the Services.”

7 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 48:**

8 Google has used WAA-Off Data it saves to train at least one machine-learning algorithm  
9 used by at least one Google product or service, including but not limited to Google Search,  
10 YouTube, Gmail, AdMob, Ad Manager, or Ads.

11 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 49:**

12 Since the start of the Class Period, Google has used WAA-Off Data to create User profiles.  
13 For purposes of this Request, the phrase “User profiles” shall include identification of  
14 characteristics (e.g., age, gender, location, interests) associated with Users or devices.

15 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 50:**

16 Since the start of the Class Period, Google has served ads to WAA-Off Users based on User  
17 profiles. For purposes of this Request, the phrase “User profiles” shall include identification of  
18 characteristics (e.g., age, gender, location, interests) associated with Users or devices.

19 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 51:**

20 Google saves WAA-Off Data generated during Users’ interactions with the Google Chrome  
21 app, including through webviews on Non-Google Apps.

22 **REQUEST FOR ADMISSION NO. 52:**

23 Google Firebase, Google Analytics for Firebase, AdMob, and Cloud Messaging are not  
24 essential to the functioning of Non-Google Apps.

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